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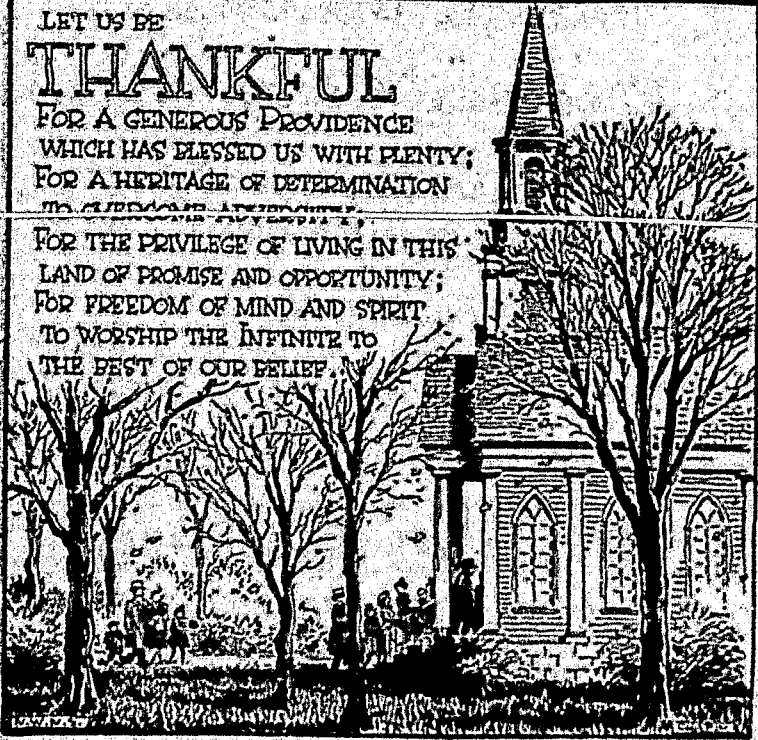
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FOR FREEDOM OF MIND AND SPIRIT
TO WORSHIP THE INFINITE IN
THE BEST OF OUR BELIEF.



MOVE TO ORGANIZE HEALTH COUNCIL AT FRIDAY MEETING

Representatives from various organizations in town met Friday evening at the town manager's office, to form a Community Health Council. Rev. Charles Pendleton presided. Much interest was shown in the program of such a council, and a discussion was held on its aims and purposes. Proposed by-laws and constitution were read and unanimously adopted. A nominating committee was appointed to report at a meeting in January. This committee will be Mrs. Robert Keniston and Dr. John Trinward. The following representatives of local organizations were present: Mrs. Earlon Paine, OES; Carl Brown, IOOF; Mrs. Robert Keniston, WSCS; Earl Davis, Lions Club; Mrs. Robert Nichols, Ladies' Club; Mrs. Hazel Wheeler, Five Town Teachers' Club; Miss Helen Varner, Bear River Grange; Mrs. Avery Angeline, Eleanor Gordon Guild; Mrs. Richard Davis, PTA; Mrs. Howard Cole, Hospital Auxiliary; Mrs. Clifford Hillier, Congregational Guild; Roderick McMillin, American Legion; Gordon Mason, Pleasant Valley Grange; Mrs. Henry Godwin, Rebekahs; Rev. and Mrs. Charles Pendleton, John Greenleaf; also Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stetson, Mrs. Eva B. Twilchell, and Mrs. Helen Remsen, Bryant Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs and family will be holiday week and guests of Mrs. Edward J. Hinkley, Blue Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sillaby Jr., Ellsworth.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boyker will be Miss Marilyn Boyker of Boston and Mr. and Raymond Holt and daughters of Wilton.

Mrs. Ella Staats of Gorham, Maine, and Mrs. Jane Bates of Littleton, N. H., arrived Sunday to spend the holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames.

Aze Keith Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wilson, is participating in war maneuvers being held in 10 states from Florida through Louisiana and north to Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Potter and family, Hallowell, Pa., are spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston and Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hutchins.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Little and son, Tommy, Castine, returned Sunday night, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster and family.

Mrs. Adrian Grover is having as guests on Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lutton, Mary and Jane, Dr. and Mrs. Lorrimer Schmidt, David and James of Augusta, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Paul, Eric and Craig, Fredrick Grover, Mrs. Hazel Wheeler, and Michael, and Dana Grover.

IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Mrs. Stanley Feltner is visiting relatives in New York.

Miss Eva Bean is spending a few days with friends in Boston.

Lafayette Paehy of Mount Vernon was a Sunday visitor of friends in town.

Joe Bill Shaw will spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Joseph Shaw, Portland.

Miss Roberta Bean will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sweet, South Paris.

Mrs. Earl Eldredge and son Donald of Hallowell were week end guests of Mrs. Gladys Benn.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carroll will be holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kendall, Sunday River.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Rozelle will spend the holiday week end at Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Forbes will spend the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Chandler, South Paris.

Mrs. Lillian MacKinnon of Ridgelyville will be a holiday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hastings.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Clark, Augusta, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mason are spending Thanksgiving week in Portland and Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tinkander spent the week end at their camp at Songo Pond.

Phillip Faudt will be with his family on Paradise Road from Tuesday until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Turner, Attleboro, Mass., spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Gibbs.

Roy Moore has been confined to his home the past week because of illness.

Mrs. Belle Hamlin is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cale, Berlin, N. H.

Irving Brown and family expect to move into their new home on Thanksgiving day.

Attractive lights have been installed on Gould Academy's new walk and parking lot at High and Elm Streets.

Mrs. H. P. Austin will spend the holiday week end with her son, Maynard Austin, and family at Houlton.

Lee Carver and Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Manchester, N. Y., will spend the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Kimball Ames.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Soule and family will spend the holiday and week end with their parents at Richfield Springs, N. Y.

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COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

Many years ago the people in the compact area of the town decided to form the Bethel Village Corporation to provide various services. At present the night watchman, care of the parks, common, most of the street lights, and the major part of the Fire Department as well as some other services are

As you know the property owners in the village section pay an additional tax for these services.

Many people think it can now be dissolved and save some duplicate expenses and still serve the Bethel people as well.

Last year the Corporation voted to dissolve, subject to favorable State Legislation and Town approval. Saturday, Dec. 3, has been set as the date for the Town to vote its opinion. The Special Town meeting will be called at ten o'clock in the morning to take care of a few other matters, and then the polls will be open until seven o'clock for you to cast your ballots in the matter of the Corporation. A YES vote means dissolve, a NO vote will mean to continue as you now have it. We must have at least 134 votes to make any decision at all in the matter so we hope every possible voter will voice their opinion whatever that opinion is.

I wonder if we in Bethel are as appreciative as we should be of the many good things we have here. A choice of churches, excellent educational possibilities, a beautiful natural setting, and an opportunity to work in a clean wholesome town.

Happy Thanksgiving.

O. T. Rozelle

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Paine, Linda and Dickie, are spending the holiday in Freeport with Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Morrill and family.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Gorman will be Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Scribner and family, Dixfield; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Buck and family and Mrs. Gladys Benn.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Brown and daughters, Vicki and Susan, of Ashland will be holiday and week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown.

Mrs. Abbie Brown will spend Thanksgiving in Portland, where she will be joined by her daughter, Miss Arlene Brown, of Haverhill, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Saucier and family, Portland, and David Foster, Lexington, Mass., will be holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Anderson will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Etherington, Randolph, Vt. They will be joined by Miss Donna Anderson, student at Vermont Junior College.

A fire in wallboard and lath caused by an overheated stove pipe called the fire department to the home of Herbert Tift at Skillington Monday evening. There was little damage.

Miss Isabelle Bennett, teacher at Endicott Junior College, Beverly, Mass., and Miss Alice Bennett, who is teaching in Nashua, N. H., will spend the holiday with their mother, Mrs. Frances Bennett.

Mrs. Naomi Varner was guest of honor at a supper party, Friday evening, given by her daughter, Miss Helen Varner, at their home, the occasion being Mrs. Varner's 75th birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lowell, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lowell.

Holiday guests of Mrs. Violet Bennett will be Mr. and Mrs. William Gile, Agawam, Mass.; Lawrence Bennett, Portland; Miss Christine Willard, Scarborough; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Lyon and daughter Brenda, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Baker and son Donald.

John Willard, Potsdam, N. Y., and David Willard, who has been visiting John in Potsdam, Miss Nancy Willard, Troy, N. Y., and Miss Christine Willard from Portland, will arrive Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Willard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Perkins and Jimmie took Henry Perkins to Portland Sunday to spend the winter with his daughter, Miss Dorothy Perkins. They spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dodge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Williams of Woburn, Mass., will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Silver and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will return with them to remain through Christmas and the New Year.

Mrs. John Anderson will have as holiday and week end guests at her home Mr. and Mrs. Richard Woodcock and daughter of Providence, R. I., Mr. and Mrs. Evans Wilson, Malvern Wilson of Turner, Mrs. Viola Gibbs, Billy and Cheryl of Rumford.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Mackay will be holiday guests of relatives at Wypitlock.

Miss Barbara Cushman and Mrs. Martha Scott will be guests of Roland Gilman and family Thanksgiving day.

Miss Sheila Nary arrived home on Wednesday to spend the holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nary.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Conroy and family, Reading, Mass., will be guests of Mrs. Sylvia Conroy and Mrs. Grace Swan.

Lee Carroll, student at Northeastern University, Boston, will spend the holiday with relatives at Martha's Vineyard, Mass.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt Thursday will be Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bease and family of Lexington, Mass.

Jafar Davlet-Muraz returned Saturday to his home in New York after spending three weeks at his cottage at Songo Pond.

Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Lohrop will be Ward Kilgore and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lohrop, Auburn.

Mrs. Elsie T. Boscoe of Hartford, Conn., arrived Saturday to spend some time with her daughter, Mrs. Louise Lincoln, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helms, Anna, and friend of Rockland spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Helms.

Mrs. Fred Edwards is entertaining at the Columbia Hotel in Portland Thursday at a Thanksgiving party. Following are her guests: Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Hudson, Keene, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hannaford and son Goodwin, Bar Mills; Cecil Conrad and Miss Beatrice Brown, Bethel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson, Vicki, Jean and Merry, will spend Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chase in Hallowell. Also present at this time will be Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chase and Raymond Chase of Worcester, Mass.; Mrs. Rose Chase and daughter of Rumford.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Mackay entertained at a family gathering at their home Sunday. Present were: Miss Arlene Brown, Haverhill, Mass.; Mrs. Laura Richardson, Fryeburg; Mrs. Abbie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, Leroy, Linda, Nancy and Owen, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brown, Julia and Viola.

The Eleanor Gordon Guild met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Kenneth Wing with Mrs. Albert Buck co-hostess. Mrs. Ernest Paine led devotions. Mrs. Earlon Paine invited the Guild to her home for the Dec. 14 meeting which will be a pot luck supper and Christmas tree exchange of gifts. Secret Sisters will be revealed at that time. Mrs. Ernest Blake furnished entertainment. The hostess served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Lutton and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown entertained members of the Methodist Couples Club, Saturday evening at the Lutton home. Pot-luck supper was followed by a social evening. Films were shown by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders taken on their vacation trips through several states and part of Canada. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Paine, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Saunders, Rev. and Mrs. Dwight McMahon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert York, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keniston, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wing, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Angeline, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Irving Brown, Mr. and Mrs. John Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Donald York, Mr. and Mrs. Evans Wilson, and Mrs. Paul King.

MAINE EXTENSION MEMBERSHIP UP AT FIRST REPORT

At the first report, the 1955 membership of the County Extension Associations is 375 ahead of a year ago. Somerset and Piscataquis counties lead in the percentage of 1955 members renewing. Topping their Extension memberships of a year ago are Arrowsick, Penobscot, Hancock, Kennebec, Piscataquis, and Hancock Counties. Obtaining the largest percentages of last year's membership totals are Piscataquis, Franklin, Penobscot, Androscoggin, Sagadahoc, Hancock, and Kennebec Counties.

"S.D. Day," Safe Driving Day, will arrive Dec. 1st. Our Governor's Committee on Highway Safety reminds us that President Eisenhower has set aside this day on which all of us make an special effort to walk and to drive safely. This committee urges each one of us to do his part by accepting a bit more than his responsibility to avoid traffic accidents.

FREDERICK G. NEWTON

Frederick Grant Newton died at the home of his son, Roy Newton, West Bethel, Sunday.

He was born at Peru, May 5, 1884, son of Scott and Abbie Newton. Prior to moving to West Bethel last April he made his home in Rumford where he was employed as a carpenter.

Mr. Newton was a member of Rumford Baptist Church.

Besides his son, Roy, he is survived by a grandson, and two great grandsons.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Greenleaf funeral home, Bethel, with Rev. G. B. Lindahl officiating. Interment was at Greenwood Cemetery, Dixfield.

Donald M. Christie, daughter Dawne and son Donald, will spend the holiday at a family party at the home of his sister, Mrs. Warren Farnham, Brownville Junction. The occasion is the observance of the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. Christie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Christie of Milo.

Holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis will be Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamlin and sons, Falmouth Foreside; Mrs. Alma LaFayette, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dock, Stephen, Roger, Gretchen, Jimmy Jon; Penny, Peter, Jimmy and Danny Davis.

BOWDOIN PROFESSOR WRITES NEW STUDY ON MUNICIPAL ZONING AND PLANNING

"Planning and zoning have become a profound necessity for Maine communities in 1955," according to a Bowdoin College Bulletin issued Sunday by the Bureau for Research in Municipal Government. Professor Orren C. Hornell, who retired from the Bowdoin faculty a few years ago, is the author of the new study, entitled "Planning and Zoning for Maine Municipalities."

Recognizing that "planning inevitably costs something," Professor Hornell asserts that "the initial cost is slight in comparison to the later loss of comfort, convenience and economic values or the heavy financial drain required to correct mistakes."

The purpose of the bulletin is to provide information for local government officials and interested citizens regarding proper and effective procedures for planning and zoning. In addition to defining terms and explaining the need for action, it suggests the best procedures for establishing local zoning and planning ordinances.

Dr. Hornell outlines the provisions of the Enabling Act of Maine and explains the procedures that are consistent with them. In this connection he notes that the Supreme Judicial Court of Maine has gone far in upholding the constitutionality of zoning.

The bulletin provides a list of limitations on the power of zoning by municipalities.

Copies of "Planning and Zoning for Maine Municipalities" are available without charge at the Bureau for Research in Municipal Government, Hubbard Hall, Bowdoin College. The bulletin is the eighteenth in a series initiated by Professor Hornell in February, 1915. Other publications in the series have included studies of municipal government and reporting, budget making, the direct primary, the merit system, the manager plan for Maine municipalities, a charter for council-manager towns, and so forth.

Dr. Hornell joined the Bowdoin faculty in 1911 and retired in 1952. He is now DeAlva Stanwood Alexander Professor of Government, Emeritus, and Director of the Bureau for Research in Municipal Government, Emeritus. He is well known for his analyses of town government and his advocacy of the manager system for Maine communities. In 1910, with Dr. Roy H. Owsley, he wrote "A Zoning Manual for Maine Towns." Today's bulletin, reprinted from the "1955 Maine Municipal Year Book," supplements the earlier study.

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TOWN MEETING DEC. 3 TO CONSIDER IMPORTANT QUESTIONS

Matters of importance will be brought to the attention of Bethel voters at the special town meeting to be held at Odeon Hall on Saturday, Dec. 3. Consideration of

roads suggested to discontinue is likely to bring forth honest differences in opinion, and this matter should be given serious thought. As in many other towns, Bethel has several sections of highway which have had little or no use for a long time, and it is up to the citizens to determine which of these should be continued as entitled to maintenance from town funds.

Acceptance of the act of the last legislature repealing the charter of the Bethel Village Corporation deserves more than casual attention. It seems to be the opinion of many that the Corporation has served the purpose for it was created 65 years ago and that the time has come for such functions as are now performed by the organization to be carried on by the town. It is pointed out that about half of the valuation of the town is within the bounds of the Corporation. Services rendered by the Corporation last year called for an appropriation of less than \$12,000. Moreover, they claim that less than that amount would have obtained the same results under the town manager administration due to the several obvious savings in overhead items.

Originated for the principal purpose of providing fire protection and street lighting in the village, for some 25 years the town has paid for lighting outside the village and since 1930 the town-financed pumper has operated in connection with the village equipment. These favoring town adoption of the Corporation's functions are citing the lessening pride of villagers in their one-time independence and consequent apparent lukewarm administration in recent years as a reason for hope of improvement in a 100% town handling of all projects. Critics do not point to acts of present officials but to the lethargy of village citizens who have come to ignore problems and meetings of the village corporation.

The matter of town ordinances is also considered of prime concern at this time. Not much is known of local rules of conduct so far as town affairs go, while the Corporation has plenty of regulations some of which are quite generally ignored. There seems to be no objection to the idea of handing the job of setting up rules and regulations for the town as a whole to a committee, which may report the same for acceptance at the annual meeting next March.

Mrs. Miriam Boyker of Portland will be a Thanksgiving guest of her daughter, Mrs. Phillip Faudt, and family.

Dr. and Mrs. John Trinward and family are spending the holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Greenleaf at Norway.

Mr. and Mrs. James Brown and family will be guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Brooks, Pownal.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hillier, Harriet, Mary and Jean, left Tuesday for Bangor to spend the holiday with Mrs. Harriet Mahan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Browne will entertain Mr. and Mrs. Paul Browne and family, Vassalboro; Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Clark, Augusta; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Browne and son, Shownegun; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Emmons and family, Schenectady, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers and family, and Mr. and Mrs. James Browne and family.

Annual Christmas Fair

West Parish Congregational Church

Thurs. Dec. 1, 2-5 P. M.

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Greens Children's Table

Gifts Candy

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The Week in Oxford County

J. B. Turner and Forrest R. Mathes, of the U. S. Air Force, are feared to have drowned in Aziscoos Lake while on a hunting trip. The boat, a 12-foot one with motor, is reported to have been located. Chief Warden Elmer Ingraham, Augusta, reported the men missing since last Thursday.

West Paris High School has started basketball practice for both boys and girls. Their season opens Dec. 2 when they play Mechanic Falls.

Dr. Arthur W. Easton, dentist of Norway was honored Friday evening at a testimonial given by the Androscoggin Valley Dental Association at Eaton Legion Post in Auburn. Dr. Easton is the first

Maine dentist to become a trustee for the First District of the American Dental Society.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Augustus Bonney observed their 50th wedding anniversary Friday at the home of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bonney at East Sumner.

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BRYANT POND

— Mrs. Edith G. Abbott, Corres. —

Thanksgiving News

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Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Cole, sons John and Gardner Jr., were the guests of her mother, Mrs. L. E. Susy, Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Day entertained Miss Mary Barlett, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bowker.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Chase were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edminister at Norway.

Mrs. Ida Farnum had as guests Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farnum and daughter, Leatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Farnum, David, Carol Ann, Cynthia and John.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Farnum's dinner guests included Mrs. Robert Lowe, James, Katrina and Jane, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hadley, Jr., West Paris; Dana Berry, Mrs. Norma Tirrell and Miss Fern Tirrell, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Marston, Lewis and Gregory, South Paris; Misses Alma and June Marston, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Roger Twitchell, Penny and Stuart, Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes Gould's guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard, Richard and Joan, town; Mr. and Mrs. John Grover and Debra, and Mrs. Mae Hobson, East Stoneham.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Stowell, of South Paris, were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kiro Stowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Billings went to Portland, Thursday, returning home Friday, visiting their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hooper.

Mrs. Elsie Cole had as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Abbott, Mrs. Harriette Farrington, Alan Farrington, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Harlow and son, Gary.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Ring and Teddy; Mrs. Ruth Haskell, Gilbert and Barbara were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philo Hodson at Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring, Arthur and Kaye Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Harriette Hathaway and family, went to Albany Thanksgiving Day, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Langway entertained her father, Roy Lord, and sister, Mrs. Eva Ring, Waterford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tyler and son, James, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King, spent the day at the Tyler camp, Byron.

Mr. and Mrs. Oneal Mills were dinner guests of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mills' guests were their sons, Midshipman Sterling Mills, from Castine, and Onell Mills, who is having a week's vacation from his studies at Lee Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKen entertained Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rogers and children, South Paris; Mrs. Carl Hinkley, Mrs. Cecil Knapp, and daughter, Dolores and Debra, Phillips.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Howe were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Howe and children, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Howe and Wayne, and Stephen Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howe and family are visiting his mother and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Meserve, at Beddington, this week.

A stated meeting of Jefferson Chapter, O. E. S., will be held at Masonic Hall Friday, Nov. 25, with a tasting party after the meeting, for which each member is asked to bring something. The degree work will be given.

The Bryant Pond Garden Club met Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 16, at the home of Mrs. John Tobbetts, Locke Mills. She was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Arthur Valley and Mrs. J. Clinton Beck. Mrs. Willard Boynton, Bethel, gave an

WEST GREENWOOD

— Mrs. Paul W. Croteau, Cor. —

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hathaway of Walpole, Mass., were recent guests of their daughter, husband and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Croteau, Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Robertson took Solon Croteau to Boston the 13th. Mrs. Paul Croteau Sr. accompanied them.

Several around here have had bad colds.

Malvern Wilson of Turner called at Alden Wilson's Sunday.

Ray Cummings was the guest of his sister and family the B. L. Harrington's last week.

Franklin Harrington was among the lucky hunters last week getting a 12-point buck.

BEAR RIVER GRANGE

Bear River Grange met at their hall on Saturday, Nov. 19.

With our new Master, Paul Wright, in the chair. Several matters of business was thrashed out. It was decided that we drop the supper for a while only on special occasions. Refreshments will be served instead. The following program was presented. Roll call—each member telling what he liked best for a program; Stunt, tearing turkeys out of newspapers. The between Helen Varner and Eva DesRoches. On 2nd try Helen Varner won; Group singing; Stunt, swapping gifts, caused a lot of fun; Closing song, God Bless America. One visitor from Rumford made interesting remarks as did Bro. Holt, too. Next meeting will be Dec. 3. Something interesting will be on the menu so you better come. Two members were reported sick, Sisters Minnie Bennett and Mary Ladd.

Interesting talk on "Flowers and Art." Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. Ruby Ring entertained the Star Birthday Club at her home Thursday night with Mrs. Frances Farnum, Mrs. Annie Bryant, Mrs. Arlene MacKillop and Mrs. Miriam McAllister as assistant hostesses.

The mystery package was won by Mrs. Cora Bennett. Emerson Dizer, Weymouth, Mass., showed colored slides taken on travels in England and Paris; also beautiful views of Northwestern United States and Canada. Refreshments were served after the meeting. Christmas boxes will be made at the December meeting, with Mrs. Cora Bennett, Mrs. Barbara Hathaway and Mrs. Edith Abbott as committee. Each member is requested to bring something for a tasting party, and something for the boxes.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dunlap are staying at their camp, New Portland, this week.

Leland Berry, Framingham, Mass., Earle Noyes, Robert Farrington, James Farrar and Stanley Farrar are at Grafton this week on a hunting trip.

EASY TO REPAIR YOUR BROKEN STALL PARTITION

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Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bean of Bryant Pond called on Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis Sunday afternoon.

Ellis Davis spent three days in Grafton this past week.

Jackson Andrews and Dennis Poland have been ill with colds this week.

Lucky deer hunters this week were Talso Koskela and Eino Holkkinen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews and family spent Sunday at their camp on Shags Pond.

Mrs. Esther Ryerson spent a few days with Mrs. Harlan Andrews this week.

The Willing Workers, which

Frances Koskela and Eleanor Koskela at Paris Hill Thursday evening with 13 present. Those present were Jessie Andrews, Hazel Andrews, Bernice and Olive Davis, Cynthia Lamb, Olive Tieli, Miriam Morgan, Wilma Hendrickson, Alta Waterhouse, Hazel Strout, Zella Silver, the hostesses, Eleanor and Frances Koskela. A very pleasant evening was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Alta Waterhouse was the recipient of a beautiful yellow baby blanket from the Willing Workers. It was voted to donate toward the Christmas gifts to be given to Pownall State Institution. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

School Notes. — The pupils of the Union School enjoyed a picture entitled "Britain and Her Empire" this week. The pupils having 100% in spelling were: 1st—Rebecca Andrews, Craig Ryerson, Bruce Thurlow, Alan Waterhouse; 2nd—Alicia Cash, Pamela Hagar, Nancy Koskela, Donna Poland, Judith Poland; 3rd—Jackson Andrews, Joyce Hawkey; 5th—Nettie Cox, Kenneth J. Kennison; All the 7th Grade, Patricia Davis, Linda Waterhouse, Thomas Davis, Patricia Silver, Geneva Silver, Patricia McMillan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bean and Mrs. Rhodes Sawyer and two daughters, of Livermore Falls, called on Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews, Sun-

FRENCH - BRITTON

Miss Laurene A. Britton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Nottage of Norway and Edwin F. French, son of Mr. and Mrs. William French of Portsmouth, N. H., were united in marriage at the South Paris Baptist Church by Rev. Clifford Vincent on November 5. Mrs. Edith Lowell of South Paris played the traditional wedding march and Miss Pauline Lussier of Lowell, Mass., sang "Because."

The bride was lovely in a floor length gown, princess style, with lace over satin and matching finger length veil and bouquet of white roses. She was attended by Pauline Lussier as maid of honor, and Miss Faylene Hall and Mrs. Irene Murphy, sister of the bride, of South Paris, as bridesmaids.

Ralph Done attended the groom as best man.

Miss Hall and Mrs. Murphy wore gowns of yellow lace and pink lace over satin with matching hats and colonial style bouquets. Miss Lussier wore blue.

Ushers were Richard Murphy and Lewis Britton.

A reception followed at the Firemen's Hall in South Paris. Serving were Mrs. John Hall and Mrs. Merl Whitman. The guest book was

day afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb are having the following visitors for Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Allen and Frank Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Andrews and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lenwood Andrews and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ormond Andrews and Mrs. Mariel A. Mullen and two children at a Thanksgiving dinner.

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— Mary Baker Eddy

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In charge of Pauline Lussier.

Following the reception the young couple left for a wedding trip to Canada. The bride's traveling suit was of dark rust with matching accessories.

The groom's gift to the bride was a string of white pearls, and the bride's gifts to her attendants were sterling silver identification bracelets.

The bride was born in Greenwood, Maine, is a graduate of South Paris High School and Brook Arm Medical Field Service School, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Women's Army Corp.

The groom is a graduate of Portsmouth High School and is a Sergeant in the U. S. Army now at Army Hospital, Fort Devens, Mass.

Out of town guests were Mrs. William Burton, Portsmouth, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. William French of Portsmouth, N. H., Mrs. Lewis Lussier, Lowell, Mass., Mr. and Mrs.

George White and daughter, Sharon, of Portsmouth, N. H., Mrs. Robert Britton, Freeport, Maine, and Mrs. Chester Boobler, Greene.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Grade 7 Our Seventh and Eighth Grades were invited to the "House of Magic" science show at Gould Academy. We are very grateful to them for we enjoyed it very much. We had a lot of Gould students come to visit us Tuesday afternoon.

School closes on Wednesday for Thanksgiving vacation. The people in Mrs. Gunther's room who have not missed a day of school so far are Kenneth Heath, Jeffery Hutchins, Stanley Moore, David Salway, Claire Varney, Jean Waterhouse, Irene Williams. The ones in Mr. Helms's room are Christine Angevine, James Bartlett, Kenneth Bennett, Roma Bennett, David Boynton, Dixie Lea Brown, Marjane Brown, Ronald Coulombe, Tamara Daye, Lindon Felt, Frederick Lincoln—Reporters, Mary Willard and Linda Brown.

Grade 8 A class meeting of the 8th Grade of CPB was held Friday at school. The Treasurer reported \$122.61 in the bank. Beverly Blake was elected Chairman of the Candy Sale, and Douglas Rice and Barbara Angevine for her helpers. Pamela Young was elected Publicity Chairman. The class went roller skating Friday night at Shelburne Inn, and substitutes were chosen from the seventh grade.—Douglas Rice, Reporter.

Grade 4 Mrs. King, Miss Ballard. Our grade has finished making Pictorial booklets. We had our pictures taken last Friday. We are looking forward to the long Thanksgiving week end. A lot in our grade are out sick this week.

Grade 6 Miss Varner. We are sorry that so many people are absent. We hope they will be well enough to come back to school after Thanksgiving. We have finished our Alaskan notebook. We are glad that we are having holidays Thursday and Friday. Six people from our room went to Gould Academy to see the "House of Magic." They were Alvin King, Stephen Saunders, Edward Tibbetta, Dwight Lord, Billy Howell, Charles Newell.

Grade 5 Mrs. Lord. Six boys and girls from our room visited the House of Magic by G. E. We had visitors this week from Gould Academy. We drew names for Christmas gifts. We only go to school for three days this week, Thursday, November 24, is Thanksgiving Day. We sent away for a map from two Ivory Snow box tops. It is a very nice one. Reporter, Bonnie Eames.

Twenty words or less, one week, 50 cents; additional weeks, 20 cents. More than 20 words, one and one-half cents per word the first week; additional weeks, one cent per word.

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NEWRY Mr. and Mrs. Albert Morton are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Harry Dan, at the Rumford Community Hospital on Friday, Nov. 18.

Mrs. Daisy Morton is spending Thanksgiving with her daughter, Mrs. Ramona Fillnutt, at Westbrook. Her granddaughters, Lynda and Rebecca Morton, accompanied her.

Seventy-five deer have been tagged in Newry so far this season. Willard Wight and family of Old Town are spending the Thanksgiving week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wight.

Donald Hayner of Norfolk, Va., was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Tripp.

Montcalm League of Warwick, R. I., is enjoying its ninth annual hunting trip to Newry. He is accompanied by friends.

The Extension Association met with Mrs. Bertha Davis Nov. 16. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows: Chairman, Mrs. Mary Vall; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Selma Chapman; food leader, Mrs. Bertha Davis; clothing leader, Mrs. Marion Kimball; home management leader, Mrs. Julia Fleet. It was voted that each leader was to choose her assistant for the year. The subject of the meeting was Grooming for You. Mrs. Evelyn Wight was the leader. The annual planning meeting will be held at Mrs. Fred Wight's on Dec. 14.

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SKILLINGTON

Mrs. Ola Tift, Corra.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Clark have gone to Woburn, Mass., to be with their daughter for Thanksgiving and Christmas. They plan to return after Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Palendon and family at Orono. On their return home they called to see Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eldredge and family at Augusta.

Mrs. Ina Viner, Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Chester French, Norway, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tift.

Mrs. Alice McAllister was in Norway on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Tift are spending Thanksgiving with his parents at Dover, N. H.

A number of children are confined with whooping cough up this way.

MAINE AGAIN TO HAVE UNUSUAL DISPLAYS AT OUT-OF-STATE SPORTS SHOWS

Maine's wizard in all things artistic and mechanical, Klr Beck of Mt. Vernon, is constructing an exhibit to stop the other amazing displays he has built in past years for sports shows out of state. That is saying a great deal, as Beck's exhibits have always "told the story," but the assertion actually is under-statement, according to those who have watched the growth of his latest achievement.

This season, in Boston, Mass., February 4-12, and in Philadelphia, March 2-10, sportsmen will see a miniature man ride a log jam down a realistic Maine "river." As the seemingly human figure passes an angler, the latter waves. The lumber-jack ignores him but has all eyes for a beautiful, vacationing bathing queen, standing on the shining sands down-stream. The riverman starts to show off his skill, dancing about and spinning the log, then turning it end-over-end. Finally, he falls off, then climbs back and floats away, hardly chastened by his experience.

The parts of the display are so closely fitted together that the "log" the man rides has been soaked in oil to keep it from swelling and tolerances even have been figured to the thickness of a coat of paint, Beck explains.

More than 100 feet long and about 25 feet deep, the ceiling-high exhibit will have an added feature, a 50-foot pool of trout and salmon, big enough to make sportsmen gasp. A waterfall will tumble into the pool and an information booth, staffed by two Maine whippersnappers, two men from the Maine Publicity Bureau and others from the Department of Development of Industry and Commerce, will increase the overall size.

MAINE DELEGATION LEAVES FRIDAY FOR NATIONAL 4-H CONGRESS

Maine's delegation of 18 members and five agents and leaders leaves the State by train this Friday, Nov. 25 for the 34th National 4-H Club Congress at the Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago. This is the trip of a lifetime for those outstanding 4-H club members and leaders. Chosen for their top-notch all-around 4-H club records, they'll enjoy five busy days of banquets, entertainment, education, and inspiration at the National 4-H Congress.

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GOULD ACADEMY

Miss Elizabeth Smith of Allentown, N. J., a senior at the University of Maine, will assume her duties as a practice teacher under the supervision of Miss Mary Whitney of Gould in the department of Home Economics for a period of six weeks beginning Monday, Nov. 28.

The Future Homemakers of America delegates of the Gould Club accompanied by their advisor, Miss Mary Whitney, attended a regional meeting at Buckfield last Thursday, Nov. 17. Miss Deanna Rugg of the local chapter was elected Chairman of Region E Schools which includes chapters from Auburn, Bethel, Buckfield, Farmington, Fryeburg, Livermore Falls, Mechanic Falls, Norway, Rumford, South Paris, Turner, Wilton, Lisbon Falls, and Mexico. A tape recording of some of the activities was made and broadcast over Station WKTQ, South Paris, Maine, on Friday afternoon at 4:05 p. m.

Students of the Academy had the pleasure at that time to listen to the voices of their classmates as they came over the air.

Elwood F. Ireland and Edmond J. Vachon attended a Work Shop on Nursing As a Career sponsored by the Bingham Associates Fund and the Maine League for Nursing at the Central Maine General Hospital.

Members of the Freshmen Class have recently elected the following officers for the school year 1955-1956. President, Melvin Jodrey; Vice President, Lee Ann Grover; Secretary, Audrey Daye; Treasurer, Porter Farwell.

Members of the cross country team who received letters in an

assembly held on Tuesday morning, Nov. 22 were: Melvin Jodrey, Richard Grover, Eldred Rolfe, Guy Whitten, Bradley Benson, and Craig Dore, manager. Members of the team who won a certificate (having previously won a letter) were: Philip Korhonen, John Manner and Capt. Frank Benson.

The following members of the football squad received letters: Jeff DiBasso, Jack Reld, Jere Snell, Albert Sumner, and William Galdier.

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GOV. MUSKIE AND STATE POLICE URGES MOTORISTS TO BE CAREFUL OVER HOLIDAY

Governor Edmund S. Muskie and Col. Robert Marx, State Police Chief, issued a joint plea today urging Maine drivers to exercise unusual caution during the long Thanksgiving Day holiday.

"With many people enjoying a long, four-day vacation from their work," said Governor Muskie, "it is only natural that a good percentage of them will be planning extended automobile trips. Thanksgiving Day is traditionally a 'family day', a time when all members of the family try to get together for Thanksgiving dinner. This means an unusual amount of highway travel. I urge everyone who will be on the road during this holiday period to take every possible precaution to avoid accidents. Please be careful. Don't take unnecessary chances.

"Let's all drive," concluded the Governor, "in such a manner that next week we shall have additional cause to be thankful—thankful for lives saved during this holiday week end."

Col. Marx asked motorists to cooperate with the concerted effort being made to cut the highway toll. He cited the hazards which are associated with this period of the year and which cause serious trouble for the careless, in-

STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the 8th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five, from day to day from the 8th day of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published three weeks successively in the Oxford County Citizen a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Hiram on the first Tuesday of December A. D. 1955, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Erma T. Young, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Ralph H. Young as Executor of the same, to act without bond as expressed in said Will, presented by Ralph H. Young, the executor therein named.

John S. Burbank, late of Bethel, deceased; Will and petition for probate thereof and the appointment of Verne C. Swan as executor of the same, with bond, presented by Verne C. Swan, the executor therein named.

Tena M. Thurston, late of Bethel, deceased; Petition for the appointment of Ralph H. Young or some other suitable person as Administrator D. B. N. C. T. A. of the estate of said deceased, with bond, presented by Ralph H. Young, Executor named in the Will of Erma T. Young, who was formerly the Executrix of the Will of said Tena M. Thurston.

Witness, Robert T. Smith Judge of said Court at Paris, this 8th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-five.

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V. A. NEWS LETTER

Newly discharged servicemen and women should submit a copy of their original discharge or separation papers the first time they make an application to the Veterans Administration for benefits.

By submitting copies of their separation papers, these veterans will help to prevent delay in the processing of their applications. Manager M. L. Stoddard of the VA Center, Togus, Maine, stresses.

Although the Department of Defense supplies VA with copies of all separation papers, many newly discharged service personnel file their first application for benefits with VA before these official papers are received. Manager Stoddard said.

attentive driver. Early darkness and inclement weather make the list as potential trouble-makers.

"The truly cautious driver, however, takes these things into consideration and gears his driving to fit the existing situation," said Col. Marx. "This is an exceptionally dangerous time of year," he continued. "Visibility is poor and the possibility of storms, creating poor traction and making visibility even worse, really stacks the odds against the driver."

"We shall have all available troopers on duty, doing everything possible to make the roads safe," he added. "With your help, we hope to get through this holiday without serious accidents. Take your time; be exceptionally alert; and, above all, DON'T DRINK AND DRIVE!"

Whereas J. Clinton Beck of Woodstock, in the County of Oxford and State of Maine by his mortgage deed dated April 16, 1953, and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 530, Pages 170 and 171 conveyed to the Bethel Savings Bank, a corporation established by law at Bethel in the County of Oxford and State of Maine the following described real estate:

a certain lot or parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated partly in the North part of said Woodstock and partly in Bethel in said County and State and formerly situated in that part of said Woodstock known as Hamlin's Grant and bounded as follows: Beginning at Bearse Brook where the road leading from the Brick House, so called, to Locke Mills crosses said brook; thence west on the old Bethel town line to the east of the premises now or formerly occupied by the widow Bearse; thence south on said Bearse land to said road; thence along said road to the point of beginning.

Also another lot or parcel of land situated in said Woodstock bounded as follows: Beginning on the town line of said Bethel at a brook; thence southerly on the Moody road to land formerly owned by one Josiah Moody; thence easterly on said Moody land to a fence; thence northerly on said fence to the point of beginning. The last named parcel contains seventy (70) acres, more or less.

Being the same premises as conveyed to Annie L. Clark by warranty deed of John W. Manning dated July 18, 1921 and recorded in Oxford County Registry of Deeds in Book 390, Page 24.

Now, therefore, by reason of breach of the conditions thereof the said Bethel Savings Bank claims a foreclosure of said mortgage. Dated at Bethel, Maine this twenty-first day of November, A. D. 1955. (Seal)

Bethel Savings Bank

By J. D. Grover Brooks

Treasurer

State of Maine

Oxford, ss November 21, 1955

Subscribed and sworn to by the said J. D. Grover Brooks, Treasurer of said Bethel Savings Bank, before me

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/s/ Henry H. Hastings

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Thanksgiving Day, 9:30 a. m.; Service of Holy Communion at West Parish Church.

Thursday, Dec. 1: Annual Christmas Fair in Garland Memorial Chapel and the dining room.

In other instances, veterans submit their applications to VA offices other than the one to which their discharge or separation papers have been sent.

VA must make an official determination that an applicant for a benefit is an eligible veteran before the agency can take any action. Where proof of military service does not accompany an application, or is not on file with VA, delay necessarily results.

Manager Stoddard said a photograph or certified copy of the discharge or separation papers will supply VA with the proof VA requires under law.

Original discharge separation papers must be submitted to VA only when applying for a Certificate of Eligibility for a GI loan. Manager Stoddard pointed out. After action, VA returns the original discharge to the veteran.

However, if the original discharge or separation papers have been lost or stolen, VA may accept photographs.

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SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. H. M. Fleet, Corcoran, Romo Baker and friend of Plainfield, N. J., are in town for a few days hunting.

Mrs. Hilda O'Brien of Gorham, Maine, was a dinner guest of the R. M. Fleets, Saturday.

Bertha Bean spent a few days with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Poje Chapin, of Bethel.

Edward MacDonald is working for Bernard Powers on the State Road.

Richard Gilman left Thursday for the service.

Mrs. Eva Yates, Russell Yates and Prudence Tremmer were in Bangor on Nov. 7th, to see the ice folies.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Yates of South Paris called on his parents, the Estes Yates, Friday evening.

The Dayton Whitmans and boys of Norway were at Estes Yates,

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Sunday.

David Fleet is having a hunting vacation from his duties with the Van Telephone Co.

Bertha Bean, Mary Kendall and Julia Fleet attended the Extension meeting "Grooming for You" at Bertha Davis' last Wednesday with Ethylene Wight as leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris L. Plummer of Gorham, Maine, called at R. M. Fleet's Thursday.

Howard Taylor of Livermore Falls was in town Thursday.

Earl Williamson and others are chingling the red house for Mrs. Earl Williamson one day last week.

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Roxie Inman, Cor.— Mrs. Betty Marshall, R. N., has been caring for Mrs. Raymond Dean at the St. Mary's Hospital, Lewiston. Mrs. Dean is gaining satisfactorily from surgery.

Mrs. Ethel Penley is a surgical patient at the CMG Hospital.

Mrs. Angie Churchill is gaining slowly from a virus infection which she suffered several months ago.

Mrs. Linda Lillmatta was tendered a surprise stork shower at the home of Mrs. Cleo Ryerson, Wednesday evening. After the gifts were opened and displayed a social evening was spent. The hostess served dainty refreshments including a decorated shower cake made by Mrs. Olive Tuell. Guests attending were, Patricia Thurlow, Jean Baker, Ann Proctor, Miriam Inman, Eleanor Benson, South Woodstock, is confined by illness at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Appleby.

Evangelist Jumpinen of Montreal, Can., conducted services at the Finnish Congregational Church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ahonen and daughter, Jane, of Portland, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Inman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ring and two sons of Portsmouth, N. H., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Smith.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY

St. Abram Lodge, No. 51, I. O. O. F. Meets Friday evenings, N. G. Shirley Chase, Rec. Secretary, Rodney Hanson.

Sunset Rebekah Lodge, No. 61. Meets first and third Monday evenings, N. G. Blanche Berryment, Rec. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Purity Chapter, No. 102, O. E. S. Meets first Wednesday evenings, W. M. Anne Hastings, Secretary, Helen Runnels.

Pleasant Valley Grange, No. 136. West Bethel. Meets second and fourth Thursdays. Master, Gordon Mason. Secretary, Lottie Hall.

Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Meets first Tuesdays. President, Donald Christie. Secretary, Henry Hastings.

W. C. C. S. Methodist Church. Meets third Thursday evening at 7:30 P. M. President, Sylvia Lutton. Secretary, Barbara Greenleaf.

Eleanor Gordon Guild. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mary Angvine. Secretary, Ruth Eastman.

Ladies Club, Congregational Church. Meets first and third Thursday afternoons. President, Mrs. Charles E. Merrill. Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Tibbels.

The Guild, Congregational Church. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings. President, Mrs. Frank Nary. Secretary, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins.

Bethel Lodge, No. 67, F. & A. M. Meets second Thursday evenings, W. M. Dana Brooks. Secretary, Ernest Mundt.

Bethel Lions Club. Meets second and fourth Mondays. President, Dr. John Trivard. Secretary, James Hutchins.

Musio Appreciation Group. Meets every other Thursday at 8 p. m. in Gould Academy Musio Room. President, Florence Emery. Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Men's Brotherhood, Methodist Church. Meets first Wednesday evenings. President, Evans Wilson. Secretary, Donald Christie.

Parent Teacher Association. Meets third Tuesday evenings. President, Dana Douglas, Jr. Secretary, Rita Davis.

Five Town Teachers' Club. Meets first Monday evening. President, Hazel Wheeler. Secretary, Helen Varner.

Mundt-Alten Post, No. 51, American Legion. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. Commander, Leslie Kendall. Adjutant, Jack Compas.

Mundt-Alten Unit, No. 51, American Legion Auxiliary. Meets second and fourth Tuesday evenings. President, Josephine Tripp. Secretary, Hilda Donahue.

Alder River Grange, No. 145, East Bethel. Meets first and third Friday evening. Master, Richard Stevens. Secretary, Marguerite Bartlett.

Bear River Grange, No. 206, Newry Corner. Meets every other Saturday. Master, George Stearns. Secretary, Ida Wight.

Bethel Auxiliary of Rumford Community Hospital. Meets first Monday evenings. President, Agnes Thurston. Secretary, Janet Richardson.

Stamp Club meets Wednesday afternoon after school, 3:30, at Mrs. Mabel O'Brien's on Paradise St. President, Donald Christie. Secretary, Nancy Lincoln. Treasurer, Dickie Bennett.

St. Abram Fish and Game Association meets third Thursday at 8:00 P. M. in Locke's Mills Town Hall. Visitors welcome. President, Arthur Valley. Secretary, Arthur Cummings.

The West Paris Home Extension Service met Friday at the home of Mrs. Ruth Pray with 15 present. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: Chairman, Gladys Littlehale; Secretary and Treasurer, Lila Buck; Home Management, Martha Gardner, assistant, Thelma Edmunds; Clothing, Mina Baker, assistant, Iona Anderson; Foods Leader, Mary Perham; Assistant, Ruth Pray. The afternoon program on "Know Your Neighbor" proved very interesting as each member read articles and told about Canadian provinces.

Dinner was served by Mrs. Wilma Hendrickson, Miriam Noyes, and Edith Bradford. The next meeting will be on Dec. 15 at the home of Mrs. Frances Braden, for a Christmas Party, also a planning meeting.

The Youth Fellowship of the Methodist Church met Sunday evening at the Manse with fifteen members and advisor, Harold Perham. The meeting was opened with worship service by Martha Ewell.

The discussion on prejudice was led by Mary Ann Perham. It was voted not to attend the convention at Bangor. Following the meeting refreshments were served by Jean Baker, Jean Coffin and Earle Edvin Palmer.

Mrs. Esther Ryerson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Andrews, South Woodstock.

Mrs. Frank Proctor, Salem, Mass., is the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Curtis, Jr.

Mrs. Lena Andrews is spending a few days with Mrs. Marion Andrews, Norway. On Sunday she will leave for Florida, where she will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Chase entertained Sunday at a Thanksgiving dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Vance Bacon of South Paris and Mrs. Rena Bacon.

Allen Burnett of Richmond, Vt., and Carleton Brown, Portland, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ellingwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Curney, South Paris, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley entertained the following guests at a Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday at the Grange Hall: Mr. and Mrs. William Ring and family, Portsmouth, N. H.; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belshaw and family, Dryden; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, Auburn; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hanscom, North Jay; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glines, Norway; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Penley, Jr., South Woodstock.

Pupils neither absent or tardy for the first nine weeks in grades one and two, Mrs. Lyndall Farr, teacher, are: Richard Braden, Rachel Chase, Richard Desmarais, Virginia Inman, Patricia Todd, Janice Billings, Linda Braden, Bonita Ellingwood, Janet Emery, Brenda Farr, Joe Lamb, Adrian McLaughlin, Eleanor Palmer, Michael Shane. Honor roll: Darlene Billings, Janet Emery, Brenda Farr, Linda Braden, Marelle Benson, Michael Ring, Eleanor Palmer, Bonita Ellingwood.

WEST PARIS HIGH NEWS

Basketball Schedule. The following basketball schedule has been outlined for this season:

Dec. 2, Mechanic Falls (away); 6, Casco (home); 9, Woodstock (away); 13, Leavitt (home); 16, Bridgton (home); 20, Kingfield (away).

Jan. 6, Norway (away); 13, Woodstock (home); 17, Canton (home); 20, Mechanic Falls (home); 31, Bridgton (away).

Feb. 3, Hebron (home); 7, Canton (away); 10, Leavitt (away); 20, Hebron (away).

Basketball Practice Begins. Practice sessions have begun in both boys' and girls' basketball; this season; and a strong interest is being shown in cheerleading. The

EAST BETHEL

Mrs. David Foster, Corrae.— Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hutchinson of Gorham, Maine, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Swan of Dixfield were week end visitors of Mrs. Ida Blake.

Harry Wardwell and Miss Marylin Wardwell of Methuen, Mass., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bartlett.

Emory McAllister and Miss Jeanette McAllister of Mechanic Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Falkenham and son, Brandon, Andover, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Newton.

Mrs. Virgil Curtis and children are visiting relatives in New York. Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings will be Mr. and Mrs. George Gamble and daughter, Laurie, of Scotch, N. Y., Gordon Gamble of Saratoga Springs, N. Y., Warren Hastings.

Mass., Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft of Shortsville, N. Y., Warren Hastings.

Following Seniors—Alli Immonen, Myra Halm, Gloria Abbott, Louise Robinson, Eleanor Coffin, and Shirley Ellingwood; Juniors—Virginia Hilder; Sophomores—Avis Farr, Nancy Andrews, Joan Eastman, Mary Boyle, and Jean Baker; and Freshmen—Mary Ann Perham, Jean Farrar, Joanne Hawkins, Nancy McDougall, Eloise Taylor, Elaine Penley, and Judy Mayblom; Coach Harry Stearns; and Manager Felicia Collette make up the girls' squad.

The boys' team, also coached by Harry Stearns, includes Seniors—Stanley Hilder and Wayne Penley; Juniors—James Todd and Norman Millett; Sophomores—Douglas Perham, Mark Sundell, Duane Hayes, Richard Kangas, William Whitman, Harlan Johnson and Perley Robinson; and Freshmen—Eugene Lynch, Leigh Dean, and Gary Goodwin; with Henry Billings and Herbert Ryerson as managers.

In the cheerleading squad are veterans Gerry Andrews, Starr Andrews, Maurice Benson, and Sandra Gardner. The new recruits are Louise Gammon, Martha Ewell, Donna Andrews, Eva Day, Lavina Chamberlain, and Betty Richardson.

Senior Play Cast. Members of the Senior class have been working on the play, "Oh Promise Me," which will be presented in January. The cast includes: Seth Miller, a lawyer, Raymond Hammond; Furber, a bull, Wayne Penley; Barry Hollis, a young millionaire, Roland Morey; Mrs. Sue Hollis, his aunt, Eleanor Coffin; June Hollis, his sister, Felicia Collette; Kathleen, the cook, Shirley Ellingwood; Ann Furber, a young actress, Starr Andrews; Patricia Linden, a dancer, Myra Halm; Mrs. Linden, her mother, Rosalie Curtis; Gladys Vance, a dream girl, Alli Immonen; Ralph Saunders, a man with a purpose, Stanley Hilder; and Mrs. Jones, a young mother, Louise Robinson.

Report cards were received this week, and the students who made the honor roll were announced: Seniors—Rosalie Curtis, Alli Immonen, Shirley Ellingwood; Sophomores—Mark Sundell; Freshmen—Rodney Abbott.

A feature movie, "Titanic," starring Robert Wagner, Barbara Stanwyck, and Clifton Webb was recently presented in the gym. These monthly movies are open to the public, as well as to the students.

The Readit Board, under the direction of advisor, Mrs. Dorothy D. Ross, has recently begun its work on the November issue of the Readit. Those serving on this month's staff are: Co-Editors, Eleanor Coffin and Shirley Ellingwood; Business Managers, Rosalie Curtis and Mary Ann Perham; Exchange Editor, Eve Day; Athletic Editor, Felicia Collette and Stanley Hilder; Literary Editor, Sandra Gardner; The Joke and Gossip Editor, Gerry Andrews; Fads and Fashions Editor, Gloria Abbott; Sophomore Editor, Douglas Perham; Senior Editor, Maurice Benson; Typists, Starr Andrews, Alli Immonen, Virginia Hilder, and Mary Jane Abbott; Mimeograph Operators, Judy Chamberlain, Joan Eastman, and Mary Boyle; and Mimeoscope Operators, Tuesday April 3 to which all are Myra Halm and Nancy Andrews, cordially invited.

Ungs and a friend from the University of Maine.

Mrs. Florence Curtis visited Winder Merrill in South Paris Sunday.

Lawrence Kimball is reported improving at the CMG Hospital in Lewiston.

Edward Hastings was home over the week end from his work in Conway, N. H.

Miss Josie Foster is confined to her home with whooping cough.

Alder River Grange held a regular meeting on November 18 with Worthy Master Richard Stevens in the chair. The first and second degrees were given to four waiting candidates: Miss Nancy Halmes, Miss Phyllis Coolidge, Merle Newton, and Peter Haines. Committees appointed by the Master were as follows: Executive Committee, Stephen Abbott, Leslie Noyes, Cleve Bartlett, Relief—Miss Mabel Abbott, Mrs. Bernice Noyes, and Miss Arlene Coolidge; Home and Community Welfare—Mrs. Myra Foster, Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Mrs. Floribel Halmes. Finance—Cleve Bartlett, Stephen Abbott, Richard Carter. Youth—Mrs. Huldah Stevens and Miss Dorothy Foster. It was voted to carry on the Milk Program for the primary children as last year. It was also voted to send the master and his wife to the Maine State Grange in Bangor. The committee for the harvest supper at the next meeting was appointed as follows, Mrs. Huldah Stevens, Cleve Bartlett, and Richard Carter. The lecturer, Mrs. Huldah Stevens, put on the following program: Song, Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow; Reading, Thanksgivings, Timmy Carter; Reading of a clipping about the supper and what parties given to help pay for the hall which was first used 50 years ago on Nov. 16th, by Guy Bartlett; Tableau and reading on Thanksgiving by Floribel Halmes and Richard Stevens and Mabel Abbott; Song—God Be With You. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Lillian Bartlett.

The clipping read by Guy Bartlett about the Grange Hall 50 years is as follows—from the Bethel paper of 1905—

East Bethel Grange Gives Whist Party

"The lively and wide awake little grange of East Bethel gave a very enjoyable progressive whist party at the new Grange Hall Monday evening March 26, 1905.

"The party began playing at 8:30 o'clock. The time passed so pleasantly, each one striving so hard for the prize, that all were surprised when it was announced that the two hours were up.

"The ladies' first prize was won by Susie Bean, the gentlemen's by Freeborn Bean. Mrs. James H. Swan and Urban Bartlett having the lowest score, thereby winning the booty prizes.

"Delicious refreshments of crackers, cake and coffee were served in the hall. After all had partaken of the bounteous lunch, many joined in singing some familiar songs.

"Several couples then joined in the grand march after which the company departed for their homes, declaring the evening to be one of the most pleasurable of the winter. A number came from Haver, Rumford Point, and Rumford Corner.

"Alder River Grange, though small, is very enterprising. Having no place for their meetings, except in their homes, they decided to build a hall and by their perseverance succeeded in building and furnishing one in less than two years.

"They began by giving suppers in their homes, which were well attended by young and old. The first grange supper was given in the home of Mrs. Lizzie Bartlett, Dec. 1, 1904.

"They used the hall for the first time November 16th, 1905 by giving a supper and dance and have continued to give them every two weeks up to the present time. Their next supper and dance will be held Tuesday April 3 to which all are Myra Halmes and Nancy Andrews, cordially invited."

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10 YEARS AGO

Richard Parkins purchased the Harold Chamberlin residence on Philbrook Street.

Eugene Van and family and Pat Greiner and family returned to the Van home, Paradise St., which was recently damaged by fire.

About 250 people attended the first lecture on the Village Forum at the West Parish Congregational Church.

Deaths: Mrs. Charles E. Valentine.

20 YEARS AGO

A snowfall of 11 inches was re-

Nov. 18.

Stone was removed from the wall of the old canal, South Bethel, and placed in the bank of Alder River.

Rev. Ralph A. Brandon, Oxford County United Parish, resigned to accept a pastorate in Ohio.

30 YEARS AGO

The Bethel PTA put on the play "Deacon Dubbs." Odette Hall was filled. The three-act drama was judged the most successful play ever given in Bethel.

A M. Dunham ("Mello") of Norway received an invitation to ride for Henry Ford at an old-time dance at Dearborn, Mich.

LIQUOR COMMISSION WARNS OF NEW LAW

The State Liquor Commission has directed its Enforcement Division to increase its activity concerning the minor problem and is endeavoring to bring to the attention of the public the law passed by the 67th Legislature which makes it an offense for a minor to purchase, consume, possess, or make an attempt to procure alcoholic beverages. The law reads:

"Any person under the age of 21 years who purchases any alcoholic beverage, or any person under the age of 21 years who consumes any alcoholic beverage in any on-sale premises, or who presents or offers to any licensee, his agent or employee, any written or oral evidence of age which is false, fraudulent or not actually his own, for the purpose of ordering, purchasing, attempting to purchase or otherwise procuring or attempting to procure, the serving of any alcoholic beverage, or who has any alcoholic beverage in his possession except in the scope of his or her employment on any street or highway, or in any public place or in any automobile, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than \$50."



The Old Routine

"Well," said Molly as she removed the last of the dust covers from the living room furniture, "back to the old routine!"

"And what's wrong?" George asked, "about the old routine?"

The Mrs. laughed. "I meant, here we go getting ready for winter again..."

"There's something to be said," her husband went on, "from the advantages of routine. You've tried this way and that way of doing things and, having found the best way, you stick to it. That's the old routine. Makes life simpler, doesn't it?"

"That could be," Molly replied.

"Could be, also, that it can make life duller, too, if you don't watch yourself. Particularly around middle age!"

"So?" George lifted an eyebrow.

"So," said Molly, "one shouldn't get so 'set' in his ways that he will resist learning new things. I try to learn something new every day—a new recipe, or even just a new word. It keeps one young, mentally, at least."

"I'll take that," George chuckled, "as my new learning for today!"

Wildwood, N. J., Leader: "We have become so accustomed to paying 'hidden taxes' that we may not as a general rule think of them when we go out shopping. Something of the same thing is true in reverse when we take home our pay envelope. We have become so accustomed to deductions for withholding tax, unemployment insurance and social security premium that we actually have begun to think of our 'take-home pay' as being our real salary."

BORN

In Rumford, Nov. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Payn, (Kay Wilson), of Boston, a son, Thomas Marshall.

In Anchorage, Alaska, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Thompson (Lidell Maxim), a daughter.

Nov. 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mitchell (Davene Marble) of Parippany, N. J., a son.

MARRIED

In South Paris, Nov. 8, by Rev. Clifford Vincent, Edwin F. French of Portsmouth, N. H., and Miss Laurene Britton of Norway.

DIED

In West Bethel, Nov. 20, Frederick Grant Newton, aged 91 years.

News of 4-H CLUBS

The Nine Busy Bees held a meeting on Monday afternoon at Mrs. John Howe's. We made a 4-H needle cushion for ourselves. We had refreshments of drink and cupcakes. We had 8 there and we sang songs at the first of the meeting. Darlene and Sue will bring refreshments next week. — Reporter, Charlene Rice.

The fifth meeting of the Lucky Clover 4-H Club was called to order by the president, Arlene Coolidge. The secretary read the roll.

The secretary's report. The treasurer's report was read. In old business there were ribbons that we did not get from the fair before. In new business that was a letter read about a dairy contest and a letter on Junior Leadership. The next meeting is Dec. 4, on Christmas Suggestions at the leader's home. The money was given out from the Layton Fair. The meeting was adjourned. After the meeting we had a judging contest. We judge menus and muffins. Serena Coolidge was the winner on the judging of muffins. Donna Smith was Senior winner on menus and Gloria Harrington was the Junior winner. — Club Reporter, Serena Coolidge.

Maple Leaf 4-H Club met with Mrs. Betty Gilbert at her home Saturday. There were 11 members and leader, Mrs. Freda Korhonen present. The girls learned measurement of ingredients. Refreshments were served.

JEWETT URGES COOPERATION WITH PEDESTRIAN SAFETY PROGRAM

"Be your brother's keeper. Watch out for others in traffic!" Brian M. Jewett, chairman of the Governor's Committee on Highway Safety, issued this plea to Maine drivers today as he urged them to cooperate with the Pedestrian Safety program which the Committee is sponsoring this month.

Jewett reminded drivers to be especially considerate of children and old people—both of whom are extremely vulnerable in traffic.

"Youngsters are often heedless and forget the rules of safety in the excitement of play," he said, "and the motorist must keep a constant lookout for them."

He pointed out also that older drivers are likely to have slowed reactions and impaired sight and hearing. Urging drivers to give them the respect and consideration which is their due, he added:

"Let's all lean over backward to give these elderly people plenty of time to cross the street...being especially careful not to frighten or confuse them by our impatient driving. After all, no one of us is in such a hurry that he cannot take time to be courteous and considerate toward these folks."

Nothing is so infectious as example. —Charles Kingsley



CUB SCOUTS

A Cub Scout Pack meeting will be held Friday, Nov. 25, at seven o'clock, at the West Parish church. This is the last meeting for the chartered year, and there will be an annual roll call of all leaders and Cubs, and assignment of new dens. The Bob Cat Investiture Ceremony will be performed for eleven new boys.

Don 5. We met at the usual time and rehearsed the Pack Howl, Sang America the Beautiful and God Bless America. We gave the Den Cheer. Finished decorating flower holders. Completed the scrapbook. Read Pilgrim and Thanksgiving stories. Meeting closed with the living circle. — Tim Hutchins, reporter.

National Safe Driving Day, "S-D Day" will fall on Dec. 1st. We are all asked to go through the 24-hour period without becoming involved in a traffic accident. Our Governor's Committee on Highway Safety asks us to cooperate with President Eisenhower and other public officials who are working hard to make this "S-D Day" a great success. Your 100% cooperation is needed.

Brownie Troop 6 met with their leaders, Mrs. Mary Paine and Mrs. Sylvia Sloan. We finished the sunshine baskets and filled them and then we made turkey apples. After that we went with our leaders to deliver the baskets to our sick Brownies. Carol, Charlye Grace and Norma.

Girl Scout Patrol 5A met at the home of Mrs. Virginia Mundt. Names were exchanged for plan. Eight girls were present. The girls made popcorn balls. We worked on the cooking badge.

Brownie Troop 7B met at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler with Mrs. Louise Lincoln assisting. Eight girls were present. The girls cut and made Pilgrim silhouettes for place cards for their own families. A poem, "Tom Turkey" and a short Thanksgiving story were read.

Brownie Troop 1 met at the Primary School in the hot lunch room. Refreshments were served. Leaders present were Mrs. Betty Robertson, Mrs. Monique Belle and Mrs. Beatrice Felt. The girls made Thanksgiving place cards for the Rumford hospital.

whose advanced age places them at a great disadvantage in modern traffic."

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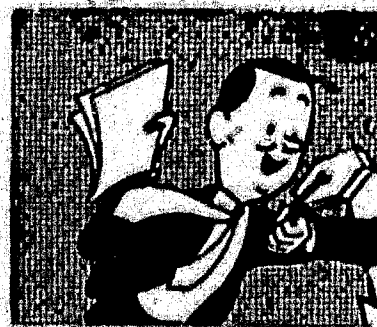
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